Amendments to the Claims

- (currently amended) A process for producing a thermoformable polyurethane foam-containing sound insulative laminate, comprising:
 - (1) preparing a foam-forming composition from: (a) from 0 to 100% by weight of total polyol of a graft polyol having a functionality in the range from about 2.5 to 3.5 and a hydroxyl number in the range from about 20 to 70; (b) from 0 to 20% by weight of total polyol of a polyether polyol; (c) a polyisocyanate containing at least 80% by weight toluene diisocyanate and up to 20% by weight methylene diisocyanate; and (d) one or more blowing agents,
 - (2) forming the polyurethane foam from the foam-forming composition under controlled pressure conditions from about 0.50 to about 0.95 bar (absolute), wherein the density of the resulting polyurethane foam is 1.3 lb/ft³ or less; and
 - (3) <u>adhering joining</u> a layer of the polyurethane foam to a barrier layer <u>with an adhesive layer</u> to form the sound insulative laminate, wherein the barrier layer is a material selected from the group consisting of filled asphalt, filled EVA, filled EPDM, filled rubber, filled PVC, and bitumen board.
- 2. (original) The process of claim 1, wherein the polyurethane foam has an IFD₂₅ of 50 lbs or below.
- (original) The process of claim 1, wherein the foam-forming composition includes(e) one or more flame retardants.
- 4. (original) The process of claim 1, wherein the foam-forming composition includes (e) one or more catalysts.

- 5. (original) The process of claim 1, wherein the foam-forming composition includes (e) one or more surfactants.
- 6. (original) The process of claim 1, wherein the foam-forming composition includes (e) from 0 to 20% by weight of total polyol of a polyester polyol.
- 7. (original) The process of claim 1, wherein the foam-forming composition includes (e) one or more additives selected from the group consisting of: stabilizers, antimicrobial compounds, extender oils, dyes, pigments, and antistatic agents.
- 8. (original) The process of claim 1, wherein the blowing agent is water.
- 9. (canceled)
- 10. (canceled)
- 11. (canceled)
- 12. (withdrawn) A thermoformed article formed from the laminate of claim 1.
- 13. (withdrawn) A sound insulator for an instrument panel, comprising: a flame retardant, thermoformable, flexible, open celled polyurethane foam having a density of 1.0 lb/ft³ or less and an IFD₂₅ of 50 lbs. or less.
- 14. (currently amended) A sound insulator for an instrument panel, comprising: a flame retardant, thermoformable, flexible, open celled polyurethane foam having density of 1.0 lb/ft³ or less and an IFD₂₅ of 50 lbs. or less, wherein the foam is in the form of a sheet or slab and a reinforcement, backing or decorative covering is applied

adhered to at least one surface of the foam sheet or slab with an adhesive, and wherein the covering is formed of a material selected from the group consisting of: filled asphalt, filled EVA, filled EPDM, filled rubber, filled PVC, and bitumen board.

- 15. (withdrawn) The sound insulator of claim 14, wherein the reinforcement, backing or decorative covering is applied to a surface of the foam sheet or slab as the foam is thermoformed.
- 16. (withdrawn) The sound insulator of claim 13, wherein the foam is thermoformed under compression at a temperature in the range of about 300°F to about 400°F to form the sound insulator.
- 17. (withdrawn) The sound insulator of claim 16, wherein the thermoformed foam retains a 70% compression set.
- 18. (withdrawn) The sound insulator of claim 13, wherein the foam is in the form of a sheet or slab that has a thickness of from about 0.3 to 2.0 inches before it is thermoformed.
- 19. (withdrawn) The sound insulator of claim 13, wherein the foam is not pre-treated with a thermoforming agent prior to thermoforming.
- 20. (canceled)
- 21. (canceled)